

Local Hydro Employees Discuss Strike Action

A meeting of all Ontario Hydro employees in the Minden area on Tuesday, March 6 at the community centre in Minden, discussed the possibility of strike action by the Ontario Hydro Employees Union in its contract dispute with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario.

Bill Payne, chairman of the east-central division of the union, told the members in the Minden area that strike action would only be used by the union as a last resort. "If a strike should prove necessary," Mr. Payne said, "the union has offered to maintain all essential services, such as hydro for homes, hospitals, schools and stores."

Mr. Payne urged the union membership to reject a majority report of the conciliation board appointed to settle the Hydro dispute. "The report is not based on the facts and admits it," Mr. Payne claimed. He quoted the report as saying:

"These recommendations are made in the spirit of compromise and are not to be taken as findings of fact established by the evidence or material placed before us."

"What is the use of our union presenting over 250 pages of evidence to the board, including evidence which the board admitted is beyond dispute, if the board ignores the evidence when making its report?" Mr. Payne asked.

He demonstrated with the aid of a chart that the 2% wage increases recommended by the conciliation board would leave Ontario Hydro wages below those of employees of municipal hydro utilities such as Peterboro P.U.C.

Bill Payne, chief steward at Minden, reminded the Minden area membership of the union, that they perform the most essential public service in this community. "Your work requires great skill, efficiency and dependability," he said. "It deserves the highest wages in the community." Mr. Payne pointed out that the union's wage demands were not unreasonable and would not increase the cost of Hydro in the Minden, Haliburton or surrounding districts.

"Hydro rates are still at 1940 levels," Mr. Payne stated. "What else can you buy in Minden or Haliburton for 1940 prices," he asked.

Hodgson To Stay In Federal Field

Much speculation has been going on as to whether Clayton W. Hodgson, M.P., would resign his seat in the House of Commons and seek the nominations for the position of member of the legislative assembly for this retirement of Hon. L. M. Frost.

Information from reliable sources indicates that come election time whether it be June or October, C. W. Hodgson will again be the standard bearer for the Progressive Conservative party in this riding.

Trappers Hold Third Fur Sale

The Haliburton Trappers' Association held their third sale of the season at the Orange hall Thursday, March 1.

This sale which each year generally is small went over very good with 200 beaver being sold. Prices were in line with the last sale held in January this year.

Buyers' receipts totaled \$3,200.

Most of the beaver sold came in from Huntsville, Torrence, Vankoughnet, Minden, Campbellford and Wilberforce. Local trappers had very few on this sale.

The next sale is planned for April 9 which will be the last sale held this season in Haliburton and should be a big sale, depending on the weather.

The executive committee meets Friday night at West Guilford to plan our Haliburton's first trappers convention. The details are to be printed later concerning this event.

Minden Man Kills Bear With Axe

Ken Nesbitt of R.R. 1, Minden who is an employee of the Dept. of Lands and Forests had a trying experience one day last week. While working at department's camp in Bruton township he received a real surprise when they were girdling trees.

After an elm tree had fallen to the ground Nesbitt was looking inside of it to see if there were any coons present. To his surprise he came face to face with a live bear.

The 100 pound bear very casually walked out and headed toward the swamp with Nesbitt after it. When he caught up with the bear he immediately took the axe he was carrying and hit the bear over the head, killing it on the spot.

The bear was on show on Haliburton's main street last Friday afternoon.

Home and School Variety Night

"The Sound of Music" was heard last Friday evening in the high school auditorium. Betty Barnum sang this song and there were piano solos as well as a barber shop quartette to get the program off to a good start. The Home and School played a most entertaining master of ceremonies. He also conducted the draw for the door prizes during intermission.

Mrs. Bonnie Walling had eight small boys and girls perform twice in square dances. Lakeview and Victoria schools participated in trios. A double duet from Boskung sang and an accordion player, Leslie Kondi, added to the enjoyment of all.

Mr. Stirling Mather recited "Calib's Courtship."

The highlight of the evening to many was the "My Fair Lady" number done by Peggy Neville and Bill Glendon in costume, and ably accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Ron Curry. They sang "With a Little Bit of Luck," "Wouldn't it be Lovely," and "I'm Getting Married in the Morning."

A touch and take table proved an added attraction. It was arranged by Mrs. Bert Howe, who was also chairman of this fine program.

L&F Check Deer Population

With co-operation from the weatherman flights were made last Tuesday and Thursday to map deer yards in Haliburton county from the air.

Two large areas, one in Harburn and Bruton townships and the other in Hindon and Anson townships were selected for aerial surveying.

Observers report that deep snow is beginning to impede deer in their travels.

Although snow readings last week in Haliburton county averaged 30.6 inches, the thaw on Monday and Tuesday reduced the readings to an average of 28.6 inches by Monday morning.

Crust formation, however, has canceled any advantage that this reduced snow depth may have had for deer.

THE PLAY-OFF PICTURE

Monarchs, Huskies In Semi-Final Clash

Only nine teams were entered in the intermediate B ORHA play-offs. Only a few are left but the Minden Monarchs and the Haliburton Huskies are two of them.

These two rival clubs are scheduled to play in this semi-final round and the winner will go into the finals.

The first game of the best of seven series was played in Haliburton on Tuesday night with the second game to go this Friday night in Minden. The third game will be played this Saturday night at the Haliburton community arena.

Glamorgan Council

The municipal council of the township of Glamorgan convened in the township office at Gooderham on Saturday, March 3. The reeve and all councillors were present.

The minutes of the February meeting were approved as read.

Mr. N. E. Ward, inspector of public schools, addressed the council explaining the procedure and governing regulations in regard to the new school at Gooderham.

A resolution was passed by council to approve the application of Mr. Rex. H. Findlay of Lindsay, operating Lindsay Transport to be granted a class C privilege on present class A license for the township of Glamorgan. By-law No. 970 was passed pertaining to the position of road superintendent, stipulating salary, duties and rate of pay.

Duties to include the full responsibility of all graveling, grading, plowing, brushing and repairs necessary to township roads.

To be answerable and accountable for all work sheets and bills coherent to the position of road superintendent.

The salary will be \$300 per year plus \$100 for mileage. All other labor other than the superintendent's duties to be paid at the rate of \$1.25 per hour.

On assuming full responsibility the superintendent may appoint a substitute to do any labor that he himself is unable to attend to.

By-law No. 971 was passed appointing Mrs. Gunn at a salary of \$100 per year to take charge of keeping road ledgers, time sheets and to have them presented to the

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Damage Heavy At Tory Hill Crash

Kenneth Cameron of Wilberforce and Kenneth Black of Tory Hill were drivers of cars involved in a rear end collision near the Tory Hill garbage dump Sunday.

OPP at Minden estimated total damage to the vehicles at \$400. Const. Earl Bush investigated.

Anniversary Party

Mrs. Albert Garden and Mrs. Lloyd King were joint hostesses Sunday afternoon at a tea to honor their sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Harry Earle, on the occasion of their 16th anniversary.

The tea table was beautifully decorated with pink and white snapdragons and tall pink tapers.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Ernest Windover, had the honor of pouring tea and Mrs. Roy Windover, sister-in-law of the Earles, also Mrs. Elgin Stouffer, served the prettily decorated cake and tea.

Our best wishes go to Grace and Harry for many more happy anniversaries.

Weather Report

March 1-7

Highest temp. 38 deg. March 7.

Lowest temp., 34 below zero March 2.

Average max. 25 deg.

Average min. 3.5 below zero.

Precipitation, nil.

Depth of snow on ground March 7, 26 in.

February 1-28

High temp., 40 deg. Feb. 4.

Low temp., 41 below, Feb. 2.

Average max., 22.1 deg.

Average min., 5.1 below.

Precipitation, snow 24.5 in., rain .40 in.

Depth of snow on ground Feb. 28, 28 in.

Total snowfall since November 1, 81.4 in.

COULD THIS BE A RECORD

Larry Lonsberry of the Minden Monarchs may be holding the record for the most goals scored in a play-off game.

Playing against Princeton Panthers in an ORHA game played in Ayr last week, Lonsberry scored the believe it or not total of nine goals in one game.

These nine goals were all important to the Minden team as they needed them to nose out Princeton 15-14.

It is not hard to see why Larry Lonsberry is the Minden Monarchs leading scorer.

Monmouth Centre News

The annual tournament for the Monmouth community centre trophies was held Friday, March 2. It proved to be a real night for Haliburton teams. Their squirts won the first cup and it was presented to them by councillor Frank Davenport.

Due to a misunderstanding there were three teams competing for the pee wee trophy. Haliburton won from West Guilford in the first game and then defeated Wilberforce pee wees and were presented with their cup by George Constable.

The game for the Bantam team did not take place.

The action resumed and resulted in Haliburton mid-gets taking the last cup from the Wilberforce team. Reg. Schofield, chairman of the community centre board, gave the cup to the winners.

The attendance for the night was a disappointment to those who worked with the preparations and was due no doubt to illness prevalent at this time.

Saturday night carnival attendance was also much smaller than usual. The evening began with a performance by the figure skaters. Patsy Watson in a solo followed by duets with Dawn Wallace and Linda McDuff, Linda Mitchell and Phyllis Dunford, Colleen Godfrey and Judy Tallman.

The next number was a Dutch waltz with four girls taking part, Patsy Watson, Joan Barker, Linda Mather and Sandra Hogan.

This was followed by a

duet by Gloria Jane Herlihey and Sharon Dunford.

The girls worked out all their own routines and their costumes and gave a good performance.

There were races for the boys and girls of all ages. It is too bad that more children don't take part in these as there are good prizes.

Then came a broomball game which was enthusiastically played and appreciated by the audience.

Finally the masquerade and the judging of costumes. Although there were not as many represented on the ice as usual, the costumes shown were better than ever this year with a good variety of dress and some good comics.

The judges were Harold Herlihey and Mr. Hughes of Harcourt. The master of ceremonies was the ever popular Jack Taylor. The door prize was won by Susan Sheehy, the bean guessing contest by Barbara Saunders and the cake by Eddie Scott. Attendance guessing was won by Phyllis Dunford.

The prizes were made available by the generosity of the following people: Ron Mumford, IGA, Adams Distillers, Anderson's service station, Stoughton's garage, Ernie Warren, Agnews Red & White, MacCraft Industries, Lloyd Watson, Terrace Inn, Silverwoods Dairy, Webster Bros., Curry Motors, Wilberforce Veneer, Rae's Hardware, Stan Parish, Texaco Station Wilberforce, Finlays, Coca-Cola, Pepsi-Cola, Clare Grady, Hostess Potato Chips, Holly's store, Sissons of Gooderham and Agnews of Gooderham.

CARNARVON

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harvey Jr. spent a few days in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Medley Sr. of Owen Sound are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Medley.

Mr. Ray McKay of Cornwallis, N.S., is home for 14 days leave before reporting to H.M.C.S. Bonaventure.

Mrs. Alex Hewitt visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Reach of Manchester.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brown who celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on February 26.

Mrs. Jack Gregory and Mrs. Ron Fennell were visitors in Toronto.

Mr. Ed. Harrison has returned from a vacation in Florida.

Mrs. R. Thomson was a visitor in Toronto last week.

The community was saddened to learn of the death of Mrs. Campbell who passed away in Stratford. She was a resident of this community for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Hal. Burton, Murray and Mrs. Katherine Chambers of Haliburton attended the funeral on Saturday in Stratford.

Miss Ella Forsythe of Toronto spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Alan Bursey.

The combined groups of the U.C.W. met in the church on Monday night for the bi-monthly meeting. A group of ladies from Haliburton were welcomed and after the devotional period Mrs. Orville Harrison sang "How Great Thou Art." A short business period followed, then Mrs. Jack Robertson showed films of her trip to Japan and the far east.

OBITUARY

William Frederick Lane

On Wednesday, February 22, at the age of 84, William Frederick Lane passed away suddenly at his home in Minden. The deceased, in his 84th year, was born and lived most of his life in Haliburton. Several years ago he moved to Minden.

His wife, the former Isobel Hutchings predeceased him in 1941, also his son Lloyd in 1961.

Surviving are his daughters, Mrs. Jack Austin (Edna) of Minden; Mrs. B. Tiberti (Beatrice) of Duarte, Calif.; Mrs. K. Ball (Annie) of Buffalo, and Mrs. T. Ward (Dolores) of West Hill; four sisters and one brother Mrs. B. Boler (Beatrice) of Toronto; Mrs. H. Brohm (Laura), Mrs. G. Thayer (May) and Thomas of Haliburton; Mrs. Dosey (Ia) of Ottawa.

The funeral service was held from Welch funeral home, Minden, on Friday at 2 p.m. with Rev. T. Gracie officiating.

Pallbearers were Messrs. K. Ball, Tom Ward, Bill Austin, Murray Austin, Roy Brohm and Harold Thayer. Interment was in Evergreen cemetery, Haliburton.



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Copies of this by-law may be obtained at the Municipal Office, Minden, Ont.

To Cardiff Ratepayers

It is with regret that I have been forced to relinquish my seat on the Cardiff Council. This was brought about by the fact that I have not as yet obtained the naturalization papers that would make me legally eligible as a British subject to sit as the representative of those people who voted for me. The immigrant entry permit and legal resident papers that I obtained over five years ago do not supply me with any such privilege.

However, in the very near future I expect this technicality will be taken care of and, if it is your wish, I will be happy to offer my services as soon as the opportunity again arises. In the meantime my interest in Municipal affairs has not lessened; in fact this incident has tended to increase this interest.

I urge those who so enthusiastically supported me at Council Meetings to join me in the continuation of taking a part in the activities of council.

May I take this opportunity of thanking all those who helped and supported me during this period and I look forward to the same support should the occasion arise in the future.

MRS. RITA ALLEN BIDGOOD

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of an Execution issued out of The First Division Court of the Provisional County of Haliburton and to me directed against the lands and tenements of HOMER WRIGHT, defendant at the suit of JOHN WELCH & SON, Plaintiff, I have seized and taken in execution all the right, title, interest and equity of redemption of HOMER WRIGHT, defendant, in and to:

ALL AND SINGULAR those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Glamorgan, in the Provisional County of Haliburton and being composed of all the North half of Lot number four in the sixth concession Save and Except that portion deeded in instrument number 1914—Part twenty-five acres all South of the Burnt River and all of Lot number five in the sixth Concession except that portion deeded in Instrument number 1985.

All of which right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the said HOMER WRIGHT, defendant in the said lands and tenements, I shall offer for sale by Public Auction at the Court House in the Village of Minden, on Friday, March 30th., A.D. 1962 at the hour of Two-thirty in the afternoon.

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Local T.B. Association Give Their Monthly Report Here

"The Three Musketeers," the monthly bulletin of the local T.B. association, has the following to report.

Graduation For Baby Sitters

The trainees of the Peterboro baby sitters' course graduate March 27, 1962. Dr. George Lewis will be the guest speaker.

Semi-Annual Meeting

It was gratifying to see the three counties well represented at the January 27 meeting at the Park Plaza Hotel. Many new ideas have emerged as a result of this meeting and now we just wait to see how our new "seeds" grow.

Tuberculin Testing In The Schools

Mrs. G. Miller, public health nurse of Haliburton County, has completed tuberculin testing in the schools.

The Victoria county school survey begins March 5. All of the schools receive, in addition to the opportunity for a tuberculin test, literature regarding TB testing, films

if desired and speakers if desired.

Peterboro county is going all out in assisting Dr. Alice Martin in a tuberculin testing survey of the Smith township schools.

Health Units

What services are provided by a health unit? Public health nursing provides for home visits, school health supervision, visits to the newborn and their mothers, visits to the aged and to those with infectious diseases.

A sanitary inspector makes regular visits to pasteurization plants where milk is processed and he also has many other duties to perform including attention to water supplies, sewage and garbage. He also inspects public and private property as requested.

Mental health and dental health services may be provided when necessary.

The medical officer of health gives guidance to raise the health standards in every phase of health care.

GOODERHAM

Prior to her marriage to Mr. Glen Bird of Haliburton a miscellaneous shower was held in honor of Miss Marie Billings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Billings of Gooderham in the Orange hall on Thursday evening. The hall was nicely decorated for the occasion.

The bride-to-be, who received many useful, pretty gifts, was assisted by Miss Donna MacDuff. The evening was spent in community singing. A mock wedding was held. Those participating were Misses Joan Stoughton, Dorothy Reil, Glenda Carey, Anne Dovell and Mrs. G. W. Barr. A very delicious lunch was served. Miss Billings thanked those present.

As usual many valentines were exchanged by the pupils on St. Valentine's day.

Gooderham is enjoying the winter sports of hockey, curling, skiing and skating. The recreation committee makes this possible.

Spending a few weeks in Florida are Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barr, Mr. and Mrs. A. Parrish and Mr. and Mrs. Nesbitt.

Mrs. Willard Billings and Mrs. G. W. Barr attended the presbytery at Lindsay on Thursday.

Congratulations to Leslie Fotheringham for his speech on "Education" at Wilberforce.

Mrs. Garnet Hadley attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. M. Hutchinson (Retta) of Ripley on Monday.

The U.C.W. held their monthly meeting at the home of the new president, Mrs. Willard Billings on Wednesday. Owing to inclement weather the attendance was low. The ladies are adjusting themselves to the new procedure of the programs prescribed. Arrangements have been discussed regarding the addition to the United church which will afford better accommodation in the future. Lunch was served. The March meeting will be at Mrs. Alan Madills.

Recent visitors were from Toronto, Mr. John McDermott, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Judson, Paul, Janice and Douglas Roberts of Peterboro and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ingle and Steven of Oshawa.

Mrs. J. E. Hunter of Lindsay is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Aldridge Hunter and Mrs. Ron Hunter.

Word was received that Mr. Blair Hanthorn of Lindsay, former principal of Gooderham school, attended his father's funeral at Feneion Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Barr left recently for a holiday in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Haywood lost part of their furniture and clothing Monday night in a fire that destroyed their house. They were moving into the village and had a few items out and had gone back for more when they found the house in flames.

The flu seems to have hit the village. Among those who are ill is Aldridge Hunter and Eddie.

A motor accident happened on Highway 500 Saturday. A young man from Beaverton was thrown out of his car when it ran into the rear of a car driven by Mrs. Albert McDuff who was badly shaken up and her car damaged. The young man was taken to Ross Memorial Hospital in Lindsay by ambulance. Mrs. Ross Agnew gave first aid.

Larry Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hunter is ill with the flu.



C.C.C. CURLING NEWS

The turnout to our fund committee's effort last Wednesday, February 28 was gratifying and there were very few of our members, that were able, who failed to show up or who were not represented by proxy. That kind of support plus the enthusiasm for the ancient Scottish pastime are two of the things which have, so far, made our curling club such a success and lend promise for greater things in the future.

On top of this, we were amply supported by the surrounding populace and we are deeply grateful for their assistance. We hope everyone enjoyed their evening out and are sorry that all could not share in the prizes that were distributed.

However, another Wednesday night party is in the cards and it is deemed likely that three days before St. Patrick's day might be propitious.

We would indeed be lax if we failed to mention that Kay Schwandt won the big cash prize and then shared her good fortune with the club and the fact that all the other prizes were donations from various club members. No sir! You can't beat that kind of cooperation however, at least we can tie it. At the risk of being trite, the next affair will be conducted along similar lines.

Murray Agnew's rink effectively blocked the small opening that Ross Anderson's crew had left for Bill Burt's gang to wiggle through to attain the Tallman trophy. In fact he built a dam big enough to hold back a Niagara by taking seven ends, which was just about what Bill's rink would have had to accomplish to upset Ross's apperant. Ergo!

Ross Anderson plus Chester Schwandt plus Mel Croft plus Stan Brooking are co-holders of the Tallman trophy until it is wrested from their grasps next season. It couldn't happen to better guys.

The other event that is history for the 1961-62 season is the Bostonian competition. Reg Schofield's rink seemed to be tossing a monkey wrench into the close contest between Lindsay's hand for the occasion.

and Tallman's and had a comfortable lead until that five end set them back on their heels and allowed the Tallman representation to go on to win, thereby overcome Lindsay's rink lead of one point and surpass it by the same margin.

That makes Carl Tallman, Merv Roberts, Blake Barnes and Gary Stoughton temporary custodians of the Bostonian trophy although their names will remain engraved on one of its plaques for time immemorial.

Going through the schedule without a loss and only one tie is an enviable record in any man's language as is the record of that "fearsome foursome" Chuck Lindsay, Dallyn Pickins, Jack Wallace and Walter Madill who succumbed by a point by having two ties.

The robins will soon be here and brooms will be hung up until about the time that Santa Claus polishes up his harness for his annual pilgrimage.

The final competition for the president's cup is well under way and by the time that the patron saint of Ireland has his day, "finis" should be written under our scheduled curling events.

A local bonspiel? That's possible.

A trophy presentation and banquet? That's for sure.

We're flaunting superstition by holding it on Friday, April 13 and it promises to be a gala affair. Naturally we would like to have some guests from neighboring curling clubs or prospective members, to help us celebrate a successful season and if we overlook sending you an invitation, don't hesitate to contact our secretary, Keith Cameron.

In view of the fact that there were so many disappointed in not being able to get to meet the mighty mice, chairman Jack, no doubt, could arrange to have them again visit our club. Naturally we would want to have a good turnout to shake hands with those congenial fellows and we do feel that it would be a nice gesture if you would phone or talk to Jack Wallace to let him know if you would be on contest between Lindsay's hand for the occasion.

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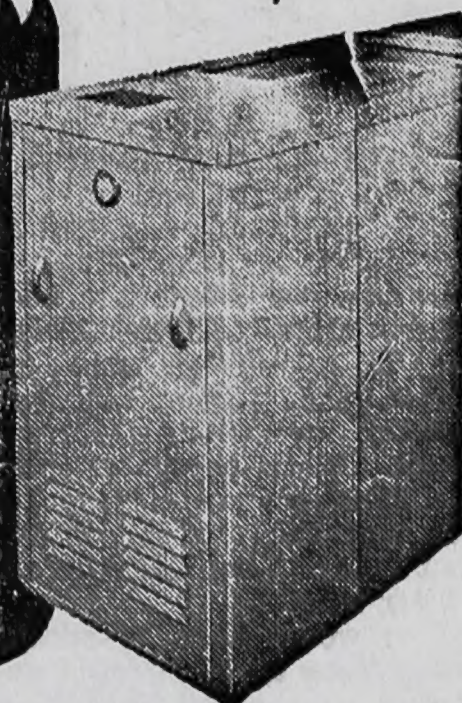
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MEET THE HUSKIES—

Minden Monarchs Win Series Over Princeton

The Minden Monarchs won their first playoff series two games to nothing when they defeated the Princeton Panthers, 5-1 at the Minden recreation centre on Saturday night.

The Minden club who nosed out the Princeton club by the narrow margin of one goal on Thursday night at Ayr took no chances on knocking this team off on Saturday night.

The Minden team who were taking no chance on losing this game, put up a stone wall defence right from the opening whistle and kept the smooth skating Princeton team out of the Minden end of the rink for most of the game.

Neil Burk put the winners off on the right foot when he scored the only goal of the first period. The Minden club were never headed from here on in to the finish.

In the second period the Monarchs made it 2-0 when Murray Bradt scored on a beautiful solo effort. In the third period the Minden club extended their lead to 3-0 on a goal by John Debbitt. It was at this point in the game that Princeton got their only goal of the game. Warren MacGregor was the goal scorer.

Larry Lonsberry, the big scoring flash of the Minden

team, waited until the last few minutes of the game when he scored two goals to given the Minden club a 5-1 victory.

Notes on the Game

Fifteen penalties were handed out in the game with eight going to Princeton and seven to the Monarchs.

Larry Lonsberry who scored the nine goals in the first game was a watched man all evening and when they forgot him in the last few minutes of the game, Lonsberry wasn't long scoring two quick goals.

The game drew a crowd of well over 400 fans at the Minden arena.

The Minden Monarchs defence was outstanding in this game and they were the big reason the club won the game. They went with only three men on the defence, namely Raymond, Watson and Handley.

The Princeton team had a new goalie in for this game and he played an outstanding game keeping the score down for the losers.

Ron Burk, who was between the pipes for the Monarchs was also a star of the game.

Minden Juveniles Win Over Beaton

The Minden juveniles returned to their home ice at Minden last Tuesday night and made it two in a row over Beaton. The 10-2 victory by Minden enabled them to take the best of three series 2-0 and it advanced them into the juvenile D OHA semi-final playoff round.

Sherdon Kelly with four goals, led the way for the winners with Craig Gartshore and Tim Jackson getting two while Mike Jackson and Rick Bain picked up one

goal each.

Minden led 2-0 at the end of the first, 6-2 in the second and won it 10-2.

The game roughened up in the third period when four Beaton players were in the penalty box at one time.

A woman who sponsors the Beaton team was so provoked over the penalties that she grabbed a hockey stick out of the players box and threw it on the ice.

The Minden club expect to be playing the next round with a team near Galt.

Spotlight On Sports

The Monmouth figure skating club held their ice review last Monday evening. The admission was free. The Haliburton midgets are playing exhibition games now and their last game was with the Minden midgets. Anyone wishing an exhibition game with Haliburton get in touch with Aubrey Goslin. We forgot to mention last week that Scottie LaRue and Lennie Salvatori were the referees for the Glen Dart memorial trophies games. The Haliburton Huskies and the Minden Monarchs are both ending the season on a good financial note. The playoffs will also net both the teams some cash if the ice stays in the local arenas. Both teams were away on attendance from other years. Congratulations to the Minden juvenile hockey club who won their playoff series with Beaton. They took the first two games of a best of three series. If the new ice making machine works they expect to be able to flood between periods at the Haliburton community arena.

We still hear the beefs from some of the teams in the Haliburton county minor hockey league that they didn't have enough ice time

this season for practice. Surely next season the schedule can be drawn up to see that these teams get enough time for practice. There's six days out of the week and surely time can be allotted here.

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Ski Report

We just received word that skiing at the Carnarvon ski hill was excellent over the past week end.

Ired Carnory, instructor at the Carnarvon ski tow, reports that three classes were held there over the week end and enjoyed the skiing.

BANCROFT DEFEAT HALIBURTON IN BASKETBALL GAME

Last Wednesday, the North Hastings High School senior boys basketball team played the final game of their five game schedule against Haliburton. Bancroft romped to an easy victory with a score of 56-31.

Only five senior members showed up to play. Neil McCrank was ejected in the second quarter, leaving the Bancroft team with only four players. In spite of this, the senior squad still kept sinking basket after basket, until the final whistle.

Top scorers for Bancroft were Jim Bundark, who netted 22 points, and Keith Patterson, who sunk 18 points. Haliburton's top scorer was Ralph Newbatt, who netted 13 points.

Out of the five games played, the seniors have won four. Much credit goes to the boys for the fine showing they have put on this year, and to their coach, Mr. Baldock.

CURLING CLUB TOPICS



Roy Windover of Minden is proving to be quite a curler. He and his rink walked off with first prize in the Skyline bonspiel at Haliburton and last week he returned home to win top honors in the curling bonspiel in Minden.

The Haliburton curling club sent a rink to the mixed bonspiel held at Bobcaygeon last Saturday.

A Temagami rink won top honors in the third annual mixed bonspiel held at Bancroft last week. The winners won the Faraday Mine trophy. Forty rinks participated in the most successful four day spiel. Out of town rinks taking part were from Deep River, Peterboro, Apsley, Cardiff, Temagami, Ottawa, Toronto, Haliburton and Smiths Falls. Haliburton didn't have a team in the winner's circle.

Curling is going over so good at Wilberforce. Don't be surprised if they try for the second sheet of ice come next winter. Enthusiasm has been very high over the past season and the one sheet of ice was busy all the time.

The playoffs for mixed curling at Haliburton started last Friday night.

It was guest night at the Haliburton curling club last Saturday night. Each member was allowed to bring along a guest.

Haliburton Wants A Juvenile Hockey Team Next Winter

After watching the Glen Dart hockey tournament a week ago we came away with the feeling that we have some good hockey players coming along in Haliburton county. Also we have more young players participating than ever before. But in questioning some of the players who weren't playing on this night they told us that they were too old for midget. This means they are still too young for junior and too young to play with the Huskies.

Consequently these boys are out of hockey for the time being. They were all asking us the same question. "Why isn't there a juvenile team in Haliburton so they could play hockey."

After looking around we found that there is plenty of material for a team but they will need coaches and a sponsor before anything can be done.

This season Minden have

made the first move and they entered a juvenile team in the OHA playoffs. Four Haliburton boys played with them, but the rest were left out in the cold.

A boy at this age is better playing hockey than having nothing to do and getting into trouble.

So come next winter we are hoping that something can be done about a team and if anyone would like to sponsor the team the first part of the battle will be over.

We were wondering if the Glen Dart hockey committee would like to see if they could get it started. These men have had wonderful luck with the minor hockey and possibly they could help out here. Even some of the local hockey fans are also wanting to see the juveniles get organized.

Come next winter something must be done about this.

MINDEN WIN OPENER—

Rough Night On Goalies

The 29th goal was the most important one when the Minden Monarchs played the Princeton Panthers in an OHA intermediate B game played in Ayr on Thursday night.

Burray Bradt of Minden scored it at 6:20 of overtime to break a 14-14 tie. It was his first goal of the night.

This all important game was filled with thrills and spills and one who saw the game could very nearly come home and write a book on it.

Believe it or not the Minden scoring ace Larry Lonsberry scored the miraculous sum of nine goals to help the team to its first win of the playoffs. They were all important goals as the Princeton club had the Monarchs hanging onto the ropes at the conclusion of the game.

We wonder if the nine goals in one game would be a record for one player to score in a playoff game.

Bev. Gartshore also had a big night for the winners counting the hat trick and singles went to Dave Caister, John Debbitt and of course the winner and tie breaker went to Murray Bradt. This is one game that the Monarchs were lucky to win and the closest contest that they have played all winter long.

You would have to admit that it was a rough night on goalies as the red light had to be flashed on 29 times.

The game was only 10 minutes old when the Princeton team had the Monarchs down to the count of 7-1. They caught the Minden

team off guard and the way they were scoring and flying in the Minden end the local team thought they would be beaten 25-1 before it was all over.

Due to the fact that the Monarchs haven't been playing very much of late and also owing to the very long trip to Ayr it seemed to take the Minden club 10 minutes and seven goals against them before they realized they were in a hockey game.

They finally did tie it up and took their first lead of the game which was 10-9. With less than seven seconds left in the game Minden were leading 14-13 only to see Princeton tie it up and force the overtime. But Minden got the winner and the first game of the best of three series.

It was such a long drive down to Ayr that the Minden club arrived just in time to put on their equipment and get on the ice. This was one main factor in the Monarchs slow start.

Notes on the Game

Larry Lonsberry, who scored the nine Minden goals was the real opportunist and never missed a bet when it came to scoring. Besides his scoring spree he also missed on three good scoring plays.

A small crowd sat in for the contest—just a few over the 150 mark and most of them were cheering for the Minden Monarchs.

The Minden club had trouble keeping the opposition out of their end and once they crossed the blue line they were real poison.

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News Notes From Minden

At the Orange hall last Monday night a good crowd attended the February card party. Winners were Harold Coulter, Mrs. Ern Hewitt, Vic Martin, Mrs. Holly Stevens, George Hewitt, Mrs. Harold Coulter, and Albert Pogue. Mrs. Murray Crawford won the lucky draw. Following the games a delicious lunch was served by the committee.

Patients at the local hospital early this week were Mrs. Donovan and Mrs. Lester Hicks and baby girl. The hospital report for January was, admissions 20, outpatients 22, x-rays 23, treatments five, births six and total hospital days for the month 159.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Lytle spent the week end in Toronto.

We see the Gracies home from their holiday in Florida as well as the Holcolmes of Mountain Lake Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Robinson, Janice and Bradley spent Sunday in Gamebridge with Mr. and Mrs. Ern Voycey.

Week end guests with Mr. and Mrs. James Hie were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hie and Tara of Toronto and Delbert Hie and Garry of Oakville.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Crowe spent the week end in Peterboro with Mr. and Mrs. Basil Cox and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Ron Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Anderson, Sherry and Larry spent the week end in Bridgenorth with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Anderson and family spent the week end in Toronto and on the way home called on the Roy Anderson's in Bridgenorth.

Mrs. Fairfield has returned from Ottawa and is visiting her daughters and friends in Toronto for March.

Founders' Night Program

Last Tuesday night was the meeting of Minden Home and School Association with Mrs. Dudman presiding. The usual opening and reports were followed by all reading in unison the ten commandments for parents. On the count of parents, Mrs. Brown's room won the award.

Suggestions for purchasing something with our money were discussed as a bicycle rack or a record player but nothing was decided.

Mr. Harold Morgan, principal, gave a short talk on

how reports are made out and this cleared up some points for the parents, also he suggested we might like to purchase crests for students attaining 60% in grade seven.

Mr. Hussey had arranged for some musical selections, first a triple trio and then several accordin solos by Les Condiey, then a choir group sang several songs. Miss McArthur very graciously thanked Mr. Hussey for preparing this music.

Mrs. Dudman then announced that the March meeting would be open house in the evening and at this time parents might discuss any problems with the teachers. Mrs. Weiss had the names of executive and members on the board and the nomination forms were handed out and gathered at the end of the meeting. It was also suggested that the other school building be open at all regular meetings as the parents might then visit the rooms if they wished.

Mrs. Dudman read a letter from the federation and this explained where our collection, taken at this meeting, would go.

There then followed the candlelight service for founder's night. The reader was Mrs. McGe, Teresa Strong lighting a candle of the anniversary cake for the children, Mrs. Sears for the federation, Mrs. Lidster for the teachers and Mrs. Dudman for the association.

The meeting closed with God Save the Queen and a delicious cup of tea and the anniversary cake were served by the executive.

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WEST GUILFORD

On Thursday morning of last week, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Boice called the firemen in from Haliburton to a chimney fire. Although the damage was light, still without these able men it could have become heavy.

Mr. Holly Sisson, reeve, was a business visitor to Lindsay last week.

The card party of the Community Guild was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Griffin with five tables of euchre. Everyone reported a good time.

Mrs. Lorne Barry has returned home after spending two weeks in Toronto at the home of her son, Jack and Alva Barjarow, who are the proud parents of a fine baby girl.

Mrs. Chessel Sisson had the misfortune to have a table board fall on her foot one studd to go through her shoe and into her toe. She was attended by Dr. H. E. Good.

Mrs. Emily Bain, who recently underwent surgery at Lindsay hospital, was able to return to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lloyd and family of Burketon were Sunday guests of her father, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simms.

A shower for Mr. and Mrs. Ray Upton was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyn Upton on Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Upton were the recipients of many useful and beautiful gifts.

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INGOLDSBY

Mr. Ken Fielding and Ken Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Bell of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Fielding.

The Ingoldsby U.C.W. held a quilting on Friday at the home of Mrs. Reg. Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. ePte Robinson and family have moved back to Ingoldsby after spending some time in Baysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burk, Linda and Jim motored to Fenelon Falls on business on Tuesday.

A number from here attended the hockey game in Minden on Saturday evening when the Minden Monarchs played Princeton and reported a good game with the Monarchs winning.

A number of people in the community have been on the sick list. We wish them all a speedy recovery.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hicks on the birth of a baby girl, a sister for Jonathon.

Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Burk were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Moody of Blairhampton, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Elstone, Mr. and Mrs. Wils McElwain Jr. of Haliburton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Robinson and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Burk of Haliburton.

Mr. Bill Lawrie of Toronto spent Sunday at his cottage.

We are sorry to report that Mr. Alf Burk of Haliburton, who is well known in the community, is in Lindsay hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bev. McElwain visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert McElwain of Gelert.

Miss Linda Burke visited on Sunday with Miss Helen Burk of Lochlin.

(Intended for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. E. Carpenter, Fern and Albert visited with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Carpenter and family on Sunday.

Mr. Mylford McElwain of Toronto and Miss Margaret McElwain of Minden visited on Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bev. McElwain.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hogg of Minden called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burke on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Robinson and family of Baysville visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. E. Carpenter.

Miss Helen Burk of Lochlin spent Sunday with her cousin, Miss Linda Burke.

Mr. Wm. Martin of Haliburton visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. E. Burk.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Crofts were recent business visitors to Lindsay.

Mr. Ron Burk of Lochlin visited on Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burk.

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—Mrs. N. Ball and family.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends, neighbors and relatives who helped us so very much during Karl's illness. Your kindness will always be remembered.

—Eileen and Karl Barry.

We wish to express our sincere gratitude to relatives, neighbors and friends for the many expressions of sympathy, floral tributes and acts of kindness extended to us during our recent bereavement.

—The Lane family.

IN MEMORIAM

Walker — In loving memory of a dear grandmother, Rebecca Walker, who passed away March 13, 1961: Peaceful be thy rest, dear grandma, is sweet to breathe thy name, in life we loved you dearly, in death we do the same. Always remembered by and children, Marjorie and Vin.

EAGLE LAKE

Week end visitors in the community included Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Fry, Misses Ethel Hutchings, Lynda Besse and friend, Mr. and Mrs. Dwaine Barry and family, Mr. Keith Newbatt, all of Toronto and Mr. Lawrence Packard of Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Hobden and Walter were week end visitors in Toronto.

Misses Vale Whiting and Joanne Wilson of Toronto Teachers' College were practice teachers in the local school last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Barry spent the week end in Brantford.

Mrs. W. Besse and Mrs. R. Pritchard were visitors to Trenton and Smith's Falls during the week. Master Stephen Besse is spending a holiday with his parents.

A good crowd enjoyed an evening of progressive euchre at the home of the Besse's recently. Proceeds were in aid of the furnace fund. Prizes for high score went to Mrs. Roberts and Brant Sisson; low score, L. Roberts and Candy Schroter. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Carnochan on the birth of their daughter in Haliburton hospital.

LOCHLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richardson of Minden were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hill called on Mr. and Mrs. Waine Davison on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dart, Larry and Ricky of Oshawa spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Burk.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McPhail, Jimmie, Carol and Aubrey of Agincourt spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Wruth spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Newell.

Miss Nancy Exon, who is employed at Lindsay spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Congdon spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wruth.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Burk were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Will Dugan.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dugan recently visited with friends at Sebright.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Newell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Irv Newell. We hope Mr. Newell, who is quite ill, is soon feeling much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hicks were business visitors to Fenelon Falls one day last week.

Mrs. Walter Harrison and Mrs. Charlie Shaw, who have been patients in the local hospital are now home and feeling much better.

Mr. Herbert Hagar of the forestry school spent the week end at his home here.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hicks on the arrival of a baby girl at Minden hospital, a sister for Johnnie.

Mrs. Gerald Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burk were visitors to Lindsay last Tuesday.

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HALIBURTON

Mr. Bob Carnochan was a visitor to his home here over the past week end.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Les McGuire has been released from the Ross Memorial Hospital in Lindsay and is back at her restaurant at Haliburton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore of North Bay visited with relatives in Haliburton over the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Inglis of Haliburton were visitors to Peterboro on Saturday of last week.

Miss Edith Black of Toronto spent the week end with friends in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Rae of Haliburton were visitors to Oshawa on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Jack Bannon, who is employed with the H.E.P.C., spent the week end at his home here.

We are sorry to report that at time of writing Mr. Bert Bounsall is on the sick list.

A good crowd from Haliburton attended the Monmouth skating carnival held at Wilberforce last Saturday night.

Miss Betty Hodgson of Haliburton was a visitor to Oshawa last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brohm were visitors to Toronto last Wednesday. They attended the NHL game played between the Toronto Maple Leafs and the Chicago Black Hawks.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Elstone of Haliburton were visitors to Toronto last Friday.

Mr. Earle Casey was a visitor to Peterboro on Sunday. He was visiting his brother, Mr. Les Casey.

Mr. Erven Hoxie, who is employed with the bridge and builders spent the week end at his home here.

A mixed rink from the Haliburton curling club attended the mixed curling bonspiel held at Cardiff over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roberts visited with relatives in Haliburton over the past week end.

Mr. Fred Ewing, who is employed as an insurance

salesman in Toronto was a visitor to Haliburton over the week end.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Keith Carnochan on the arrival of a baby girl at the Red Cross Hospital at Haliburton on Friday of last week.

Mrs. Fred Jones left this week for a vacation in Florida.

Mr. Don Johnston of Haliburton was visiting relatives in Toronto over the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Robertson of Bowmanville were visitors to Haliburton over the past week end.

Mr. Don McGuire of Trenton visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les McGuire over the week end.

Miss Brenda Lynn Austin, who is employed in Toronto spent the week end at her home here.

Mr. Bill Davies who is employed in Lakefield spent the week end in Haliburton.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Yenta of Toronto spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderson.

Mr. Bill Crofts of Welland spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander spent the past week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Keefer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rae of Haliburton are spending a vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Dawson of Haliburton left this week for a vacation in Florida.

Miss Karen Robertson of Lindsay spent the past week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Robertson.

Mr. Fred Phillips of Toronto was a visitor to Haliburton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dart of Oshawa visited with relatives in Haliburton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Austin and family of Huntsville spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Winnett Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Metcalf of Toronto spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robertson.

Weekly Sports

by Creighton Feir

Congratulations are in store to the Minden hockey teams who are vying for top honors in the ORHA and the juvenile D OHA. Both teams have won their first round and are waiting to go on.

Les Winch, who is caretaker of the Minden recreation centre is to be congratulated on the interest he is taking in minor hockey in the Minden area. We understand he has bought several pieces of equipment for the Minden juvenile D team. He has purchased new sweaters and stockings and sticks for the club already this season. He also pays for the team's ice practices at the Minden arena.

A small crowd turned out from Wilberforce for the Monmouth community centre hockey games. But what interest the hockey fans are showing in the West Guilford area. Over 65 boarded buses from Guilford for the trip to Wilberforce for the event on Friday night. Many others went by car. This is real interest and with this kind of support West Guilford should be turning out some good hockey players.

According to a write up in one of the Toronto dailies it states that the Woodbridge Dodgers will be the team to beat in the metro

junior B playoffs. Windy O'Neill, coach of the Lake-shore team, states that Woodbridge can be beat by any of the three other teams in the playoff but that the team will have to go all out to win. Woodbridge has an outstanding team and showed their power when they met the Haliburton Huskies in an exhibition game played earlier in the season.

The scoring standings we printed in last week's paper on the Minden Monarchs were final. Larry Lonsberry was the top point getter for the season.

The hockey fans who took in the first game of the ORHA playoffs between Minden Monarchs and Princeton must have thought they were witnessing a basketball game—29 goals were scored.

Some of the local hockey fans have been in attendance at some of the hockey games when Oakville and Bradford have been playing. The reports we receive is that these teams are very evenly matched and for that matter all of the teams in the league are very closely matched. It's even more interesting to see two local boys playing in the league, Gary Vasey of Minden with Bradford and Herb Baker of Haliburton playing with Oakville.

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James C. Butler was re-elected president and William E. Dugan was re-elected vice president of the Farmers' Union Mutual Fire Insurance Co. who held their annual meeting at Lindsay on Saturday, February 24.

President Butler reported to the policyholders at the annual meeting that the company increased its fire insurance in force over the preceding year by \$2,367,057. Also, the assets of the company increased by \$10,501 over the prior year.

Company surplus is now \$427,170.43, exclusive of all liabilities and premium note residue.

The annual meeting approved of a physical inspection of risks program, to be inaugurated in the near future.

The following are the other directors appointed:

H. H. McFadden, secretary treasurer of Lindsay; Grant Benson of Cobocok; G. Alan Eason of Keene, W. Burritt Jopling of Lakefield, Max Kennedy of Dunsford, Clarence G. Page of Bethany, L. R. Webster of Little Britain and Wm. D. Weir of Ome-mee.

HALIBURTON LAKE

Mr. Bud Bonner of Thornhill was up to visit his cottage at the Lake on Sunday. He saw a party of six who stayed the week end at Mr. Wilson Clark's cottage, with no mishaps except a dead car battery resulting a call for help.

Bud reports that the snow is fairly heavy on the ground and very heavy on cottage roofs which do not have snow removal.

In a trip around the lake he observed one cottage with the roof caved in on South Bay and several others sagging dangerously. He urges any cottagers who do not have snow removal to make arrangements to have the snow cleared off at once.

Cottagers who are planning to visit their cottages should be careful to wear warm clothing and to use skis or snowshoes from traveling on the lake, as there was a serious case of exposure last month. Without skis or snowshoes it is impossible to walk the lake at present.

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Nicholas Ball

On Saturday, February 17 friends, neighbors and relatives filled the chapel of John Welch & Son to capacity to pay final tribute to Nicholas Ball who passed away at his home in Minden township on February 15.

The late Mr. Ball was in his 79th year. Born in Devon, England on March 3, 1883, he came to Canada in 1904.

In Toronto on June 17, 1908 he married Mary Elizabeth Crofts, eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Crofts of Lochlin. A year or two later they took up farming in Dysart township where they lived until Mrs. Ball's death in June 1924. Mr. Ball then sold the farm and bought a general store at Ingoldsby.

In September 1926 he married Olive Hobden, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hobden of Minden. They operated the store at Ingoldsby for several years. After they sold their business there they lived in various other localities for short periods of time.

In 1932 they returned to Minden township and purchased the Henry Hobden homestead where Mr. Ball spent the rest of his life.

The service of the masonic order was held Friday evening, February 16 in the chapel and on February 17 Rev. John Taylor conducted the funeral. Interment took place in Ingoldsby cemetery. Pallbearers were Donald Elstone, Douglas Elstone, Peter Elstone, John Elstone, Roy Loucks and Jack Johnston.

Mr. Ball is survived by his wife, Olive, four sister, Mrs. William Bowden (Annie), Mrs. George Preston (Mary), Mrs. Sidney Trenchard (Lily) and Miss Bessie Ball, also one brother, Edwin. The sisters and brother are all in England.

Left to mourn the loss of a dear and loving father are two daughters by his first marriage, Mrs. Russell Elstone of Toronto (Audrey) and Mrs. Morgan Loucks of St. Jerome, Que. (Harriet) also a daughter and a son by his second marriage, Mrs. Alvin Gostlin of Norland (Helen) and Jack at home.



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11 a.m. Minden

2 p.m. Maple Lake

3.30 p.m. Carnarvon

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A HISTORY OF HALIBURTON

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Instalment Eighty-Two GUILFORD, HAVELOCK AND HARBURN

If the recollections of some of the elder pioneers are accurate, the first building to be erected by white emigrants in Guilford township was the Mud Lake depot camp on lot 3, conc. 7. The first of these log buildings was standing as early as 1862 for Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Sawyers' daughter, Mary Jane Sawyer, the first white child in Guilford, was born there that year.

It is doubtful if it was functioning as a depot camp at that time. Possibly it was constructed by Hiram Sawyer himself while he was trapping the area and later utilized by the Mossom Boyd logging interests when they started cutting pine.

Guilford's first white child was a bonnie talented lass, an excellent dancer and musically inclined. On reaching womanhood she became the bride of George Barry who had emigrated from Haldimand county with his brothers James, Mathias, Frank, Christopher and their 75 year old father, James Barry Sr., who often recalled his father, a shepherd on Scotland's hills killed by an overturned wagon while gathering lambs in a late spring snow storm.

Maybe his father's untimely death turned him from agricultural pursuits for James Barry Sr. chose to follow the sea. He used to tell his children that the roughest voyage he ever made was the seven weeks his family enjoyed the rousing sea chanteys which James Barry used to entertain them with as they gathered round the fire in the evening. Mrs. Barry, whose maiden name was Doman was born in Switzerland.

By an ironic turn of fate Guilford in Canada West was once noted for the same sport which Guilford in Surrey on the River Wey had enjoyed since the days of William the Third—horse racing. The man whose name was most closely connected

with the "sport of kings" Atlantic crossing which brought him to Canada. How was George Barry, during the early 1890's the proprietor of the Minden hotel.

However Barry's crowning passion was horses and when he purchased a farm on lot 1, conc. 6 Guilford, he laid out a half mile track in the level sandy field near the barn and in the years between 1909 and 1925 he held annual summer horse races which attracted crowds and competitors from as far away as Lindsay and Fenelon Falls.

Purses were made up from the gate receipts for both sulky drivers and saddle horses and to the generations which thrilled to the excitement of thundering hooves and arched necks which split the wind, the Barry races became the year's most anticipated event.

It was a busy time for Mrs. Barry and her daughters whose responsibility it was to prepare meals to feed the hungry spectators. Her training as a cook at the Minden hotel must have been a big help. To the children of the community, the outstanding feature of the races was the refreshment stand which dispensed ice cream, and oceans of lemonade.

After supper the crowd adjourned to the threshing floor of the Barry barn to dance until the rooster crowed. The orchestra was no problem for the 13 Barry children, only two did not play at least one instrument. In the twenties the dance following the races was held at the West Guilford Orange hall which was built around 1903 or 1904.

Some of the owners of the horses which raised the red dust on the Barry track were Dr. McKeever, Haliburton's well known veterinarian, Angus Watt with his steed "Golden Bow," Charlie Fader and Charlie Taylor of Maple Lake, and Oliver Stevens who kept saddle horses.

Perhaps Jack Mortimer had the most unusual entry,

a horse called "Little Tom," which had been trained with the family dog. If Tom happened to slacken his pace, his owner only had to clap his hands and yell "sic em!" and Tom, thinking the dog was at his heels, would pass everything in sight.

In a small community outstanding performances are long remembered. Even today if a child does well at the field day races, an old timer is apt to remark "They run like the Guilford Boy."

George Barry always kept good horses. For many years he owned a fine stallion called "Smiler" and a mare called "Mamie Bryno," but the day he watched his brother Tice try out a new two year old dark bay with black mane and tail recently purchased in Victoria county, he was horseman enough to know that the colt outclassed anything he had ever seen. He bought him on the spot, named him the "Guilford Boy" and started his training as a sulky racer. It was a deed he never regretted.

In the years that followed George Barry and his trainer Jimmy Powell traveled far and wide with the "Guilford Boy" whose speed and proud carriage made him a crowd pleaser at races and fall fairs all through Ontario. During his career he collected a trunk full of first prize ribbons for the best animal in his class. The trio even spent three months on the American racing circuit where the "Guilford Boy" established some new track records. Had his performance been consistent he might have become one of the all time racing greats. Certainly his speed was phenomenal and Barry was often offered a fabulous

price for the animal. He refused to sell. He also refused to have the "Guilford Boy" whom he treated like one of the family, whipped for breaking pace, for the animal was a stallion and difficult to control. If he was in the mood he would win a race by a wide margin but at the next event he might break his stride and be eliminated in the first lap.

Six or seven years after he took Tice Barry for that first wild cutter ride, the "Guilford Boy" was kicked on the stifle and died from infection. George Barry did not long survive him and with their passing the Guilford races were held no more.

Although the pounding hooves of the "Guilford Boy" no longer wake the echoes, the love of speed did not die out in the Barry family. A grandson, Bruce Peck, is one of the racing drivers sponsored by the British Triumph Car Co. and has competed for three years on Canadian tracks including Mossport, winning several trophies. His mother, Mrs. Hazel Barry Peck will probably add them to the trunk full of prize ribbons won by the "Guilford Boy."

To be lost north of the settlements in the rugged bush country of one of the uninhabited townships is an ordeal which those who survive it are loth to repeat.

Not long after arriving from Haldimand county, Chris Barry stood on the beech of a Kennisis bay with only a few matches in his pocket and a small rifle and realized that he was completely lost. He and a neighbor familiar with the terrain had paddled up the

lakes to collect a deer which Alf Sisson and Tice Barry had shot at wildcat and were unable to carry out. The waves at Cat Bay were too rough for two men to ride in the heavily laden canoe so Chris Barry offered to walk the shoreline to an appointed rendezvous.

It was the first time he had ever seen Kennisis so when he reached his destination before his companion he did not recognize it and believing himself to be on the wrong lake, he re-entered the bush, this time to become hopelessly lost.

For three days and two harrowing nights he wandered aimlessly across miles of tangled swamps and dense forests, his only food, a partridge he managed to shoot and cook. When he staggered into the clearing at Dick Johnson and Bob Moore's hunting camp at Crab Lake, his clothing hung in tatters and the soles of his boots were worn out.

Chris Barry's experience lost in the back country colored his dreams for the rest of his life but he was more fortunate than Mrs. Hunter of Bobcaygeon who went for a walk at Eagle Lake one fine Sunday morning in July 1892 and was never seen again by mortal eyes.

Mrs. Hunter, a lady of exemplary character, was a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Arnberg Sr., who lived on a hill-top farm not far from the log school. When Mrs. Hunter passed by remarking casually that she intended to walk out to the main road and gather some of the seasons wild flowers which were blooming in profusion, Mrs. Arnberg was milking her cow in the lane. She finished her morning chores and prepared the noon meal before going to call her mother whom she assumed had returned from her walk. The room was empty.

As the hours passed, the Arnberg's concern increased and neighbors were called in for an organized search. They were able to track Mrs. Hunter to the bottom of the first hill, a distance of 150 feet from the gate. Here the footsteps terminated abruptly without visible signs of a struggle of any sort or animal tracks that might indicate she had been carried off.

In the days that followed 40 seasoned woodsmen combed the scattered farms and bushland for miles in every direction. Eagle Lake was dragged and stop logs were put in at the dam so the river to Cranberry Lake could be explored. The result was negative.

When the men gave up Mrs. Arnberg, accompanied by her neighbor Mrs. Marina Burchill, recovered the ground in the vain hope that in their haste the men might have overlooked a clue which would explain the baffling mystery.

The search extended for years with everyone in the settlement alerted but as far as they were ever able to ascertain Mrs. Hunter walked that fateful 150 feet to the foot of the hill to where? Only the hills know!

Mrs. Hunter's grandson, Mr. Jack Arnberg who is still living at Eagle Lake, recalls vividly the tragic disappearance which remains today one of the most bizarre events in Haliburton's history.

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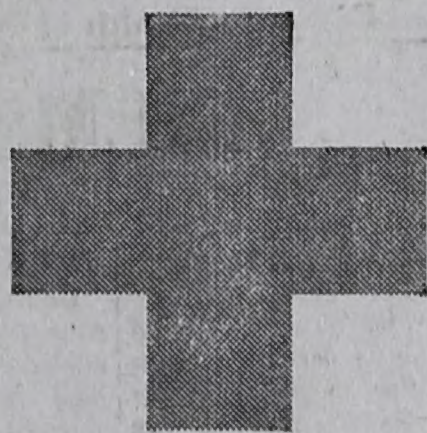
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May I also raise my voice to agree wholly with Mrs. Lunham. Never can I forget seeing Raven Lake during a low water time. Its cosy cottages and lawns overlooking the ugly black mud hole. There may be many more such lots as on our scenic highways which could share a like fate.

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We were the first to install hydro on Highway 35. Maybe I shall live to take it out in used coal oil again.

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council at each monthly meeting.

The treasurer's financial report was accepted and approved for the month ending January 31, 1962. Expenditures for the month amounted to \$2,457.

It was moved and approved to pay road sheet No. 2 to the amount of \$1,028.10, included also was the balance of a bill to Mr. McKnight of \$14.69.

It was moved and approved that the following accounts be paid as follows: Hillcrest nursing home \$70.75; Faulkner's nursing home \$70.75; the Municipal World \$29.61; to registering deed and search \$6.60; freight on registering books to auditors \$2.95; postage \$5.

The motion was passed to have all dogs, cats and household pets to be inoculated against rabies by the Dept. of Agriculture.

It was moved that the following be appointed as fire wardens: Geo. Hancock of Irondale, W. A. Kaye of Donald, Moss Graham of Bear Lake and Thomas Madill of Gooderham.

A letter was read from the clerk of Snowdon township in reply to one from Glamorgan, wherein that Glamorgan requested Snowdon to share in the cost of plowing the road to Geo. Hancocks.

Snowdon's reply in brief was that they did not see their way clear to accept this request as Geo. Hancock does not reside in their township.

However, it was reported to this writer that 21 ratepayers paying taxes to Snowdon township use this same road.

They may not be year round residents, but the fact is that non permanent residents exceed permanent residents in the amount of taxes paid by over 35%. Therefore if these ratepayers wish to visit and inspect their properties during the winter season, and a great number do, they should be accorded some consideration by the townships.

Township councils would be well advised to work in harmonious agreement for the general good of all the people in the county of Haliburton.

The meeting was adjourned at 5 p.m. The next regular meeting of council will be held on Saturday, April 7 at 1 p.m.

MINDEN

Mr. Walter Wideman, owner of the Crest hardware store in Minden, attended the sixth annual Crest hardware convention held at the Royal Connaught Hotel in Hamilton on February 28 and March 1. Mr. Wideman tells us this is the largest convention of its kind in eastern Canada and was attended by more than 80 dealers and their employees from all parts of Ontario and from Quebec.

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Any questions on the work of the Department of Health in this field, or suggested topics for these columns, should be sent to the Director of Information and Publicity, Ontario Department of Health, Queen's Park, Toronto.